

Introduced by

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-35-15.2 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the powers and duties of the information technology committee.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-35-15.2 of the 1999 Supplement to the North
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **54-35-15.2. Information technology committee - Powers and duties.** The
7 information technology committee has continuing existence and may meet and conduct its
8 business during the legislative session and in the interim between sessions. The committee
9 shall:

- 10 1. Meet at least once each calendar quarter.
- 11 2. Receive a report from the chief information officer of the state at each meeting.
- 12 3. Review the business plan of the information technology department.
- 13 4. Address macro-level questions relating to the information technology department.
- 14 5. Review the activities of the information technology department.
- 15 6. Review statewide information technology standards.
- 16 7. Review the statewide information technology plan.
- 17 8. Conduct studies of information technology efficiency and security.
- 18 9. Make recommendations regarding established or proposed information technology
19 programs and information technology acquisition by the executive and judicial
20 branches.
- 21 10. ~~Review~~ Except as provided in subsection 11, review the cost-benefit analysis of
22 any major information technology project of an executive or judicial branch agency.
23 A major project is a project with a cost of two hundred fifty thousand dollars or
24 more in one biennium or a total cost of five hundred thousand dollars or more.

- 1 11. Review the cost-benefit analysis of any major project of the state board of higher
2 education or any institution under the control of the state board of higher education
3 if the project:
 - 4 a. Significantly impacts the statewide wide area network, including the campus
5 access routers;
 - 6 b. Impacts the statewide library system; or
 - 7 c. Is an administrative project. An administrative project is a project that directly
8 collects, aggregates, modifies, stores, or reports institutional student,
9 financial, or human resources records or data and is provided primarily for
10 administrative purposes.
- 11 12. Perform periodic reviews to ensure that a major information technology project is
12 on its projected schedule and within its cost projections.